

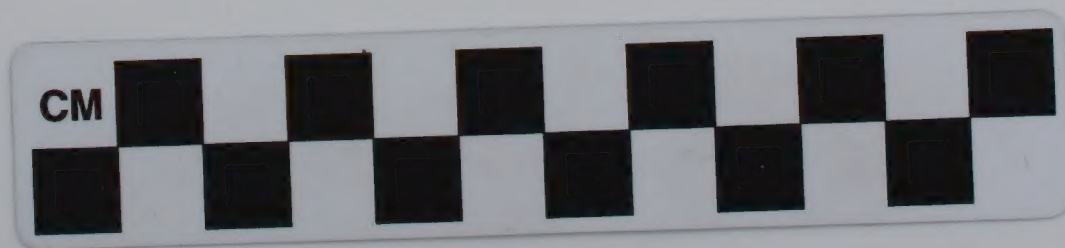
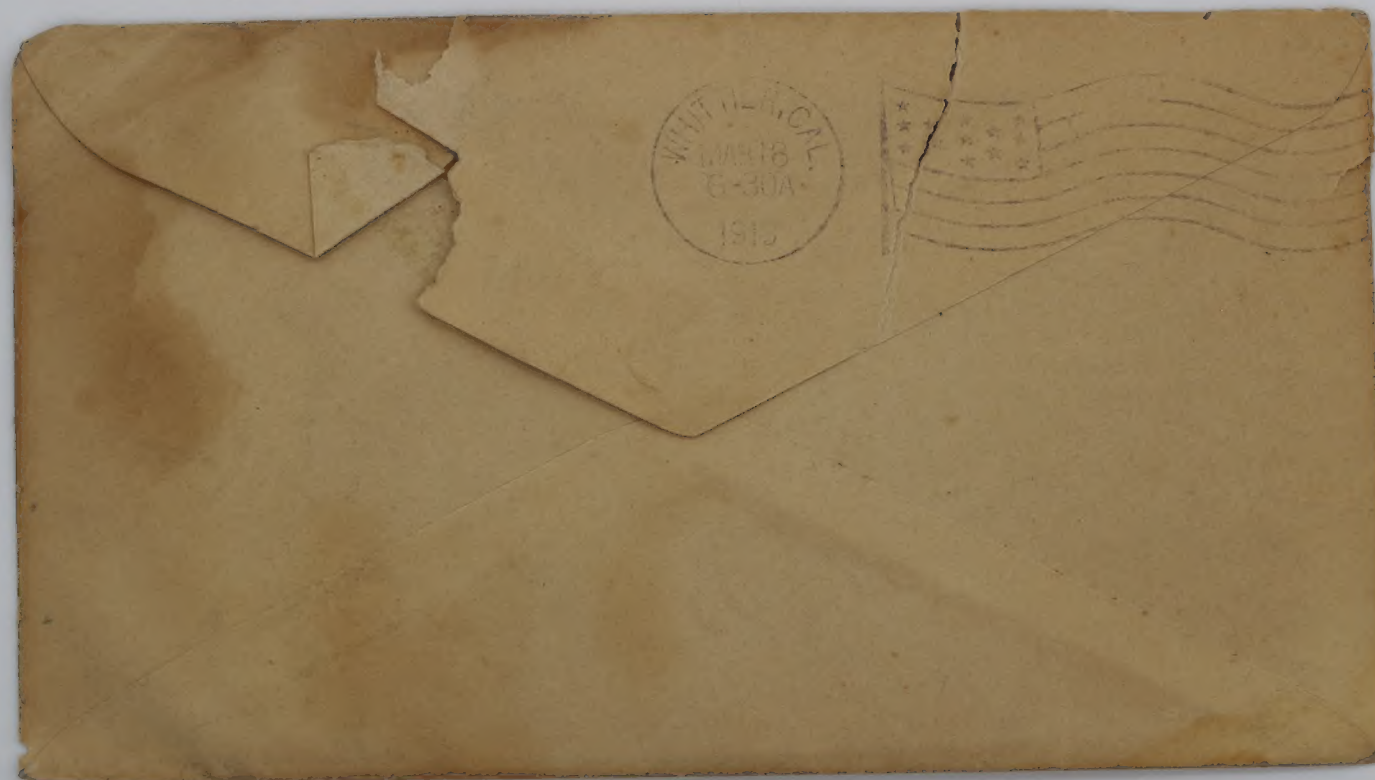
After.....days, return to
Mrs. J. B. Sherwin
.....
LANKERSHIM, CAL.



Mrs. G. W. Grandy
Whittier
California

R. W. # L.





for the poor boy & wife.

I was all broken up to
get such news. Aunt said
Uncle was "heart-broken" and
left at once when he got the
message & he will leave
nothing undone to help the
dear boy back to health.
And you know how I love
Jack & his brothers. I've
spoken so often of them
to you. Well such is life
We are so thankful for good
health in this Ranch - "La".

CM

Must tell you some bad news.

My Aunt in Mt. Vernon wrote
The 7th that Uncle had gone to
Cleveland two days before to see
my cousin Jack who was uncom-
monly ill. He sent a telegram soon
as he reached him saying he
was a very sick man. Next day
sent another saying he was
worse. I have not heard for
several days & hope no news
is good news in this case.

He has been married only $2\frac{1}{2}$
yrs and has a baby 2 or 3
mos. old. I am so sorry

CM

Ambridge 130 Mo. The other day. Sent
that you? Can you come up to that? So.

Sunday P. M.

Mar. 16 - 1913.

My dear Sister -

Well! Is it still "raining aprons"
down your way? That was quite
some "showers" wasn't it? I con-
gratulate you on being the recip-
ient of so goodly a number.
But do not, please, thank the others
minis so profusely for their little
part in it. Our aprons did not
amount to much - compared with
what we would like to have done
and ought to have done to get com
with you for all you've done & been
to me. When I think of how dear
you were to me during my sickness
last year I just feel as tho I
cannot do enough for you. I can do
so little now but may be able to
show my good-will some time.

CM

you were the only sister I had
then who could come to me &
you let nothing stand in your way -
and I needed you so too.

As to sharing your aprons!
Tiddlesticks! I have three new
ones of my own & heaps of old
ones that I want to wear out.

So glad you are supplied for
some time to come. Wish I could
have been present to see your face
when the packages began to come.

It must have been some fun.
Wasn't it strange that so many
hit upon the same plan.

Tell me what you find where
you opened the second & third
pkg & found more aprons.

Your little Xmas present will
be along some day. Just a little
every-day affair but it will wear
well. It lacks a little finishing touch

I got a lot of edging early in Jan.
Thinking I had enough for it but
when Helen's things were finished not
not a scrap was left. I have tried
in Southampton but nothing doing. I'll
get it done by & by I guess.

I got part of material for girls
little Xmas things but never got them
finished. Was trying to "paree-paree"
some little pictures.

As you may guess wire spent
every minute we could in sewing for
Helen & really have accomplished a
great deal. Have not much more
to do for her but a few things for
self & babies before she goes. I

can get along with my work O.K.
when alone but not much chance to
sew with two babies tugging at my
apron strings all day. We have
made all these things because it is
cheaper & better to do so & we have



enjoyed it all. The wedding will
occur in April - about a month
hence + the time will soon fly around.

Our trees are full of blossoms
and fear these frosts will get the
fruit. Will put out pots + prepare
to "sundage". Fred has vacation. This
work + will do that to-morrow.

Oh, say! if you ever find the films
of my trip will you send to me
for I want some pictures for my
labs. Mary is awake now + I
must get her then get our Sunday
ev "tea" ready - Hot biscuit, blackberry
jam tea + good rich milk to drink -
We have a big dinner + just light
lunch Sunday coming - "The newly-
to-be-weds" are always here Sundays.

Now let me hear some how
you are - Home sick to hear how
I am all of you. What do you hear
of Jack. How is Irene?
Love to all - May 29.

CM

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be in April - about a month
hence & the time will soon fly away
as two are full of excitement
and here they first were got the
first. This had not got to passing
the Sunday. And has no more to
work & will do that to-morrow.

Oh, if you can find the film
I may be able to send it to me
for I want some for dinner for my
wife. Many are waiting now & I
must get her then get some Sunday
we too "ready" - Not tonight, thank you
from her & good night with a drink.

The hour & day home - just light
lunch Sunday evening. The newly-
to-be-weds are through the Sunday.
Now let me have some food

you are home sick to-day. You
have all of you. What do you find
to drink. I am in pain. I
am to be. May 1913.

Dear 130 lbs. The other day. Send
the film? Can you come up to the
film?

Sunday 13. 24.
Mar. 15-1913.

My dear sister -
Well! As it will "rain" again
down again way? That was quite
some. I know I would it! I am
grateful again on being the wife.
not of 130 pounds & number.
But all not please, thank the other.
will so perfectly for their little
food in bed. And of course did not
amount to much - compared with
what we would like to have done
and ought to have done to get some
with you for all your love & care
to me. Oh how I think of how dear
you were to me during my sickness
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